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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of : Docket: W9490-02
Libanati et al. : March 24, 2004
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For: High Cleaning Silica Gel Dental Abrasive Dentifrices
Prepared Therefrom, and a Method for Preparing Dental Abrasive

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The undersigned Attorney for Applicants hereby requests a three (3) month Extension of time, to expire March 24, 2004, in which to respond to the Office Action dated September 24, 2003.

You are hereby authorized to charge the required fee \$950.00, or any additional fees which may be required, to Deposit Account No. 07-1770. (Two additional copies of this sheet are enclosed.)

Respectfully submitted,

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